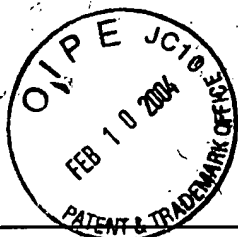


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<b>Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal</b>	Application Number	09/808,398
	Filing Date	14 March 2001
	First Named Inventor	LUDWIG, W.
	Group Art Unit	1761
	Examiner Name	Becker, D
	Attorney Docket Number	21509

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114**

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 filed 21 January 2004.
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply brief filed \_\_\_\_\_.
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. ☐ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
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**2. Miscellaneous**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

**3. Fees**

- a. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or credit any overpayments to deposit account 18-2025.
- i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e).
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee under 37 CFR 1.136 or 1.17
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.
- c. ☒ Payment by credit card (PTO-2038 attached).

**SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY**

Name	Herbert Dubno	Reg. No.	19752
Signature		Date	FEB 10 2004

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the the United States Postal service with sufficient postage as express mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box Request for Continued Examination, Washington, D.C. 20231 on: 10 February 2004.

Name	Arlene Bernstein		
Signature		Date	10 February 2004

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